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Strange Pension

chapter 5

This Chapter is read from Left to Right

HELLO, I'M OFFICER TAE HA LEE
YOU IDIOT! DON'T FLIRT WITH HER RIGHT OFF THE BAT!
THE SITUATION WITH SHIN WOO JUNG IS QUITE UNFORTUNATE.
ARE YOU SHIN WOO JUNG'S MOTHER?
WHY DON'T YOU HAVE A SEAT
YOUR ELDEST SON JUST DIED.
AND YET NONE OF YOU SEEM TO BE
IN MOURNING.
COULD IT BE, BECAUSE HE WASN'T YOUR REAL SON?

I HAVE ALWAYS CONSIDERED SHIN WOO MY REAL SON.
I'VE RAISED HIM SINCE HE WAS A BABY, SO...
PLEASE DON'T TAKE THIS THE WRONG WAY. IN EVERY MURDER CASE, THE FIRST SUSPECTS ARE ALWAYS THE ONES CLOSEST TO THE VICTIM
...ARE YOU SAYING THAT I AM A SUSPECT?

I'LL BE THE ONE ASKING THE QUESTIONS
SHIN WOO'S REAL MOTHER, THE HOTEL OWNER'S FIRST WIFE, WAS RUMORED TO BE RATHER ILL, WHICH RESULTED IN THE HOTEL OWNER HIRING A NURSE FOR HER CARE.
THAT VERY NURSE IS NOW THE HOTEL OWNER'S SECOND WIFE.
THAT'S NOT ENTIRELY TRUE
IN JUST ONE YEAR YOU BECAME A SORT OF CINDERELLA.
I DON'T WANT TO TALK ABOUT PRIVATE FAMILY MATTERS AND I DON'T WANT TO HEAR ANY MORE SUGGESTIONS THAT I AM A SON-KILLING MOTHER.

THE ONE WHO WAS ILL WAS SHIN WOO.
I WAS HIRED TO TAKE CARE OF HIM, NOT HIS MOTHER
SHIN WOO'S MOTHER...
WAS HAVING AN AFFAIR WITH A FOREIGN PERSONAL INSTRUCTOR SHE NEVER EVEN GLANCED AT HER SON.
THEN ONE DAY, SHE JUST RAN OFF WITH HER LOVER.
SHE LEFT ALL OF THIS MONEY AND JUST RAN AWAY WITH NOTHING?
ALL FOR THE SAKE OF LOVE?

DETECTIVE, A WOMAN WILL DO ANYTHING FOR LOVE!
EVEN IF IT IS FOR LOVE, IS IT POSSIBLE TO JUST ABANDON EVERYTHING? KNOWLEDGE, MONEY, YOUR HUSBAND, AND EVEN YOUR CHILDREN?
I PITIED SHIN WOO IT WAS MY IDEA THAT I SHOULD BECOME A MOTHER TO HIM.
MY SYMPATHY THEN SPREAD TO MY CURRENT HUSBAND, WHO HAD JUST BEEN ABANDONED BY HIS WIFE
STILL, YOU COULD NEVER BECOME HIS REAL MOTHER.
SINCE SHIN WOO DIED-.
WHAT RIGHT DO YOU HAVE TO SAY THAT TO MY MOTHER?
MOM LOVED MY BROTHER EVEN MORE THAN SHE EVER LOVED ME
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IT SEEMS YOUR SON DOESN'T SEE THE TRUTH
YOU SHOULDN'T BELIEVE EVERYTHING YOU'RE TOLD
THERE IS NO WAY THAT A WOMAN COULD LOVE THE CHILD OF ANOTHER WOMAN MORE THAN THE SON SHE BORE HERSELF
NO! YOU ARE WRONG, DETECTIVE
A WOMAN DOESN'T BECOME A MOTHER JUST BY BEARING A CHILD.
THE FEELINGS OF A MOTHER ARE BORN WHEN YOU HOLD THAT CHILD IN YOUR ARMS.

SUH JIN IS THE ONLY CHILD THAT MY BODY BORE
HE WAS A HEALTHY CHILD, SO HE NEVER NEEDED ME BY HIS SIDE
HOWEVER..
SHIN WOO WAS ILL AND NEEDED MY ATTENTION. HE WAS THE ONE WHO WAS ALWAYS WITH ME
RIGHT NOW, IT'S NOT THAT I DON'T WANT TO CRY. IT'S JUST THAT I CAN'T.
IF ONLY I DIDN'T INSIST ON MOVING TO THIS ISLAND...

EVEN WITH THE FIERCE OPPOSITION OF THE RESIDENTS
I WISHED FOR SHIN WOO... TO BECOME HEALTHY. SO WE BUILT A HOTEL ON THIS ISLAND BECAUSE IT HAD FRESH AIR AND A SOOTHING ENVIRONMENT
SO DO YOU THINK THE PENSION OWNERS WHO LOST THEIR BUSINESSES AFTER YOU BUILT THE HOTEL COULD BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SHIN WOO'S DEATH!?
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JUST GO FIND THE REAL MURDERER
DON'T WASTE YOUR TIME VISITING THE FAMILY OF THE DECEASED ANY LONGER
DUNK
I'LL COME AGAIN

AH .
SUH JIN JUNG!
DETECTIVE! ISN'T THAT QUESTION A LITTLE RUDE?
IT'S GOOD
THAT BASTARD ISN'T HERE
WERE YOU ON GOOD TERMS WITH YOUR BROTHER?

SUH JIN!
HOW CAN YOU SAY SUCH THINGS DURING A TIME LIKE THIS?
.....
SO..YOU ARE HAPPY NOW THAT HE IS GONE?
DETECTIVE!
DUNK
I NEVER THOUGHT OF KILLING HIM. .
BUT IT'S FORTUNATE THAT HE'S GONE

THAT'S NOT HOW I RAISED YOU!
HOW CAN YOU JOKE AROUND ABOUT YOUR BROTHER'S MISFORTUNE?
WHAT SHOULD I DO? I DON'T KNOW HOW TO LIE!
YOU'RE NOT EVEN TRYING TO FIND THE CULPRIT YOURSELF...
AND YOU SAY IT'S "FORTUNATE..."?

MY SON IS...
YOUR ONE AND ONLY BROTHER...WAS MURDERED!
I'LL DO IT MY OWN WAY...
LET'S GO
COME ON, OFFICER LEE!
.....
ALRIGHT THEN
I'LL FIND THE CULPRIT
HOW THESE CIRCUM-STANCES
SOUNDS BAD. BUT DO YOU CHOOSE?

UH...YES!
LEAVE THE SEARCH TO THE POLICE TAKE CARE OF YOUR MOTHER.
DUNK
WE WILL DEFINITELY FIND YOUR BROTHER'S MURDERER.
SUCH CONFIDENCE FROM SUCH A SMALL CHICK.
부아아아앙
DETECTIVE JO! HOW CAN YOU TREAT THE VICTIM'S FAMILY
LIKE YOU SUSPECTED THEM?
HAHAHA! I GUESS YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND THE ENJOYMENT OF POKING AT PEOPLE'S WEAKNESSES

LILY!
HOW WAS SCHOOL? DID YOU MAKE ANY NEW FRIENDS?
HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO ANSWER THAT QUESTION?
NOT YET THERE'S NO ONE WHO I WOULD CALL A "FRIEND."
HOW SURPRISING FOR A SOCIABLE GIRL LIKE YOU!
KI CH
DUNK
WELL I AM SURE YOU WILL MAKE SOME FRIENDS SOON...
JUST DON'T BECOME FRIENDS WITH THAT GUY.
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WHO DO YOU MEAN?
THAT EVIL GUY!
HE SAID IT WAS "FORTUNATE"
OPPA, SAY THINGS PROPERLY SO I CAN UNDERSTAND!
I'M SAYING TO STAY AWAY FROM THE BASTARD WHO SAYS THAT IT WAS A GOOD THING HIS BROTHER DIED...
I'VE BEEN WORRIED EVER SINCE I HEARD YOU WENT TO THE SAME SCHOOL AS HIM

FORTUNATE?
WHY DID HE APPEAR AGAIN?
ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT SUH JIN JUNG?
YOU EVEN KNOW HIS NAME?
OPPA! HE'S FAMOUS AT OUR SCHOOL!
SHE COULDN'T EVEN CRY FROM A GUILTY CONSCIENCE, BUT HER SUPPRESSED TEARS JUST BURST OUT BECAUSE OF HIS INSOLENT WORDS...
SHE CRIED AS IF HER HEART WAS BEING TORN OUT FROM HER CHEST. EVEN I WAS BECOMING TEARY EYED

HE APPEARED SO WE COULD TALK ABOUT HIM?
N.Y
NOW I UNDERSTAND WHAT PEOPLE MEAN WHEN THEY SAY THEY'RE "TOO SAD TO CRY."
BUT WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY GUILTY CONSCIENCE?
THE DECEASED SHIN WOO WAS SICKLY EVEN DURING CHILD-HOOD.
THEY BUILT THE HOTEL ON THIS ISLAND BECAUSE SHE WANTED HIM TO BECOME STRONGER, BUT SINCE IT ENDED UP LIKE THIS.
SHE WASN'T HIS REAL MOTHER?
EVEN THOUGH SHE WAS JUST HIS STEPMOTHER, IT SEEMED LIKE SHE WAS HIS TRUE MOTHER
NO. HIS REAL MOTHER HAD AN AFFAIR THEN RAN AWAY WITH THE GUY ABANDONING HER SICKLY CHILD

O..PPA!
LET'S JUST TALK
ABOUT SOMETHING
ELSE.
HIS
EXPRESSION
DOESN'T
LOOK TOO
GOOD

I'M SORRY TO ASK, BUT I NEED YOU TO COME SOMEWHERE WITH ME
N·Y
WHAT BUSINESS DO I HAVE GOING ANY WHERE WITH A GHOST?
I DON'T WANT TO.
...YOU'RE REFUSING
D-DON'T COME CLOSER, YOU.

GO AWAY!
HUH? OPPA IS IN A BIT OF A HURRY...
AH WAH
WHA-WHAT ARE YOU DOING...?
DON'T STAND BEHIND PEOPLE'S BACKS
THANKS. I'M NOT IN A HURRY, BUT I'M A LITTLE UPSET THAT...
WHO TOLD YOU
WHAT?
...OH, GO AHEAD IF YOU NEED TO!
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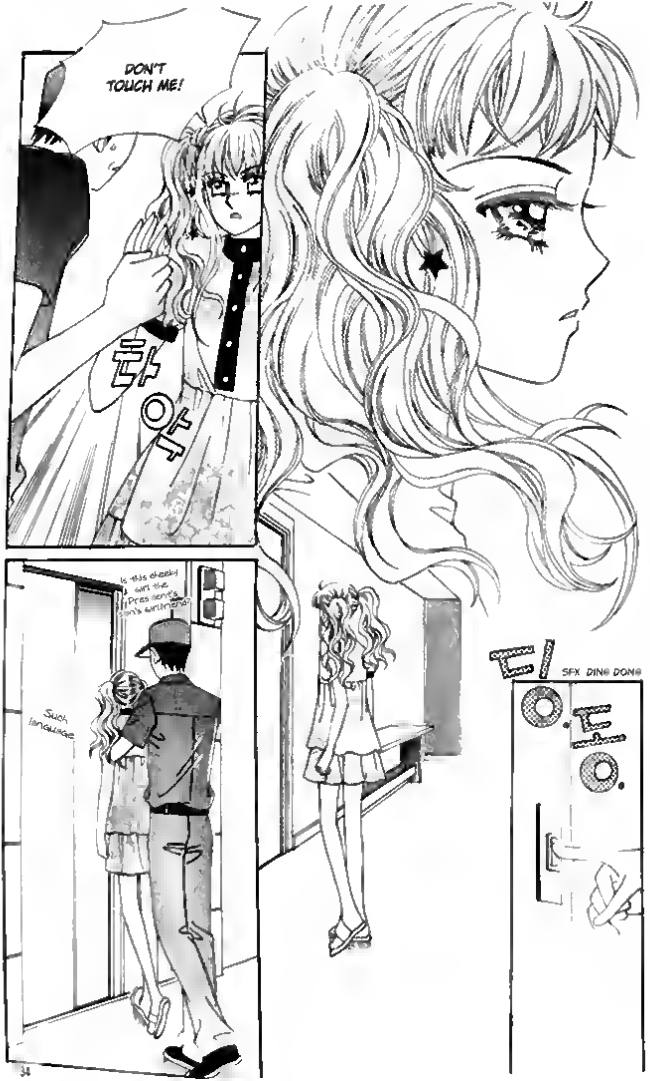
HAK SENG!* NO!
WHERE ARE YOU GOING? THAT ELEVATOR IS EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE USE OF THE PRESIDENT'S FAMILY
*HAK-SENG MEANS STUDENT. ADULTS USUALLY USE THIS TERM TO ADDRESS WELL-BEHAVED STUDENTS INSTEAD OF SAYING LIKE "KID" OR JUST PLAIN "HEY, YOU!"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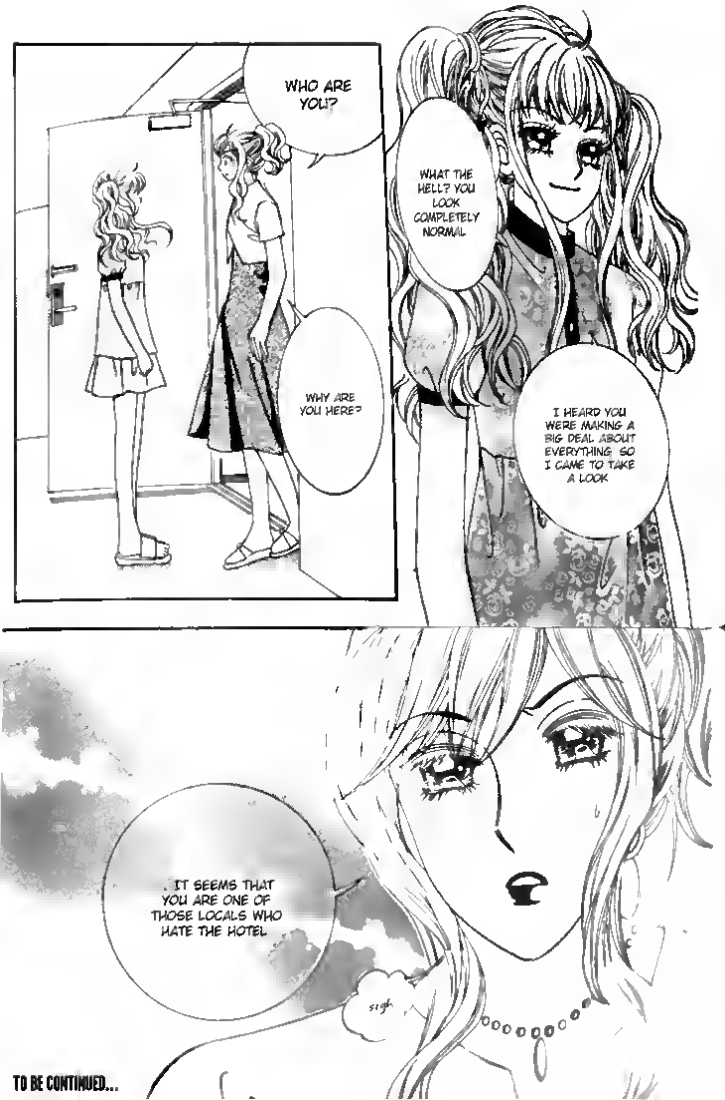
WHO ARE YOU!?
WHY ARE YOU HERE?
WHAT THE HELL? YOU LOOK COMPLETELY NORMAL
I HEARD YOU WERE MAKING A BIG DEAL ABOUT EVERYTHING SO I CAME TO TAKE A LOOK
. IT SEEMS THAT YOU ARE ONE OF THOSE LOCALS WHO HATE THE HOTEL
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